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Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to the final Office Action dated August 23, 2007. A certified English translation of the Japanese priority document, JP 2002-106235 is being filed concurrently with this Amendment.

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